Figure 1. The Cycle of Fatty Acid Elongation in Bacteria
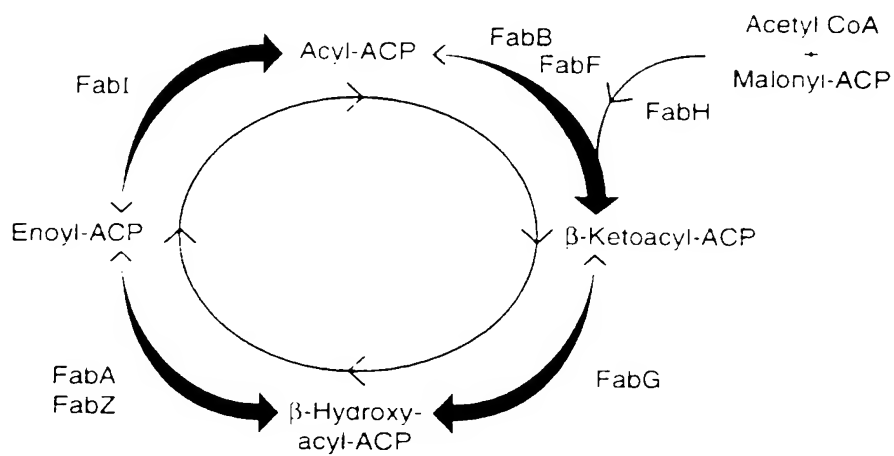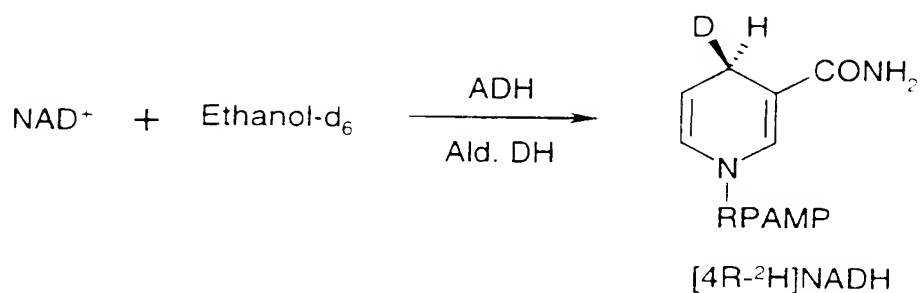
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Figure 2. Synthesis of Deuterated Pyridine Nucleotides

Synthesis of R-NADD

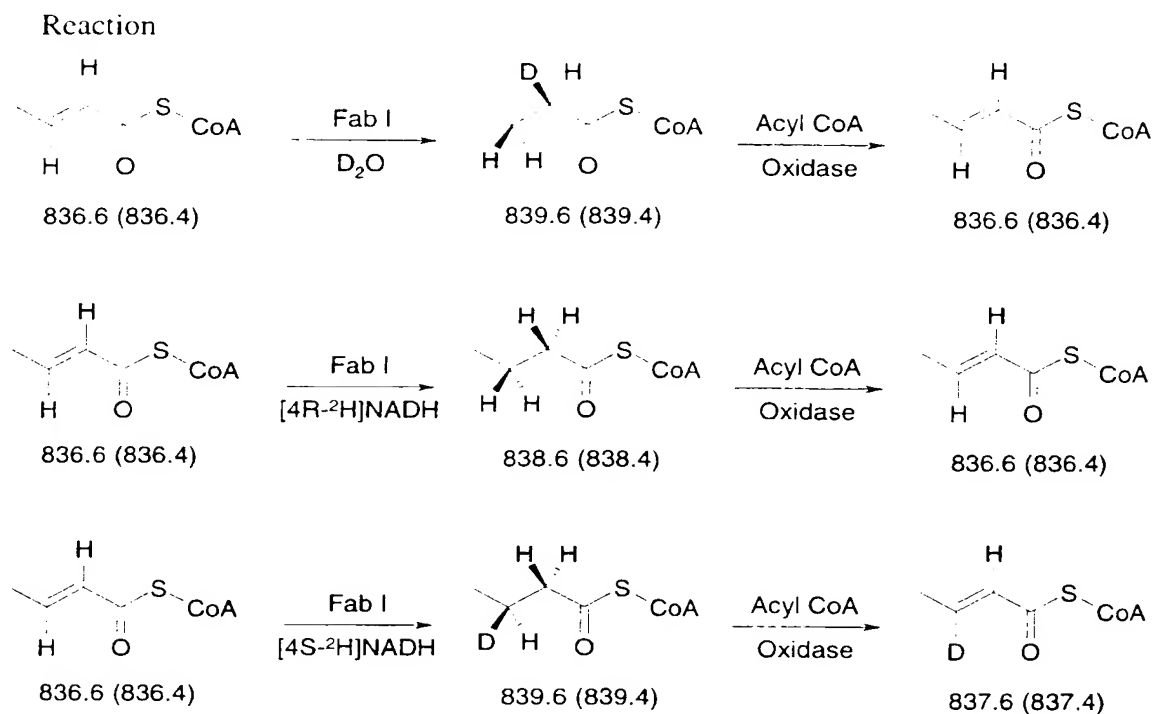$$\text{NAD}^+ \quad + \quad \text{Ethanol-d}_6 \quad \xrightarrow[\text{Ald. DH}]{\text{ADH}}$$

[4R-^{2}H]NADH

Synthesis of S-NADD

$$\text{NAD}^- \quad + \quad \text{Glucose-1-d} \quad \xrightarrow[\text{40\% DMSO}]{\text{G6PDH}}$$

[4S-^{2}H]NADH

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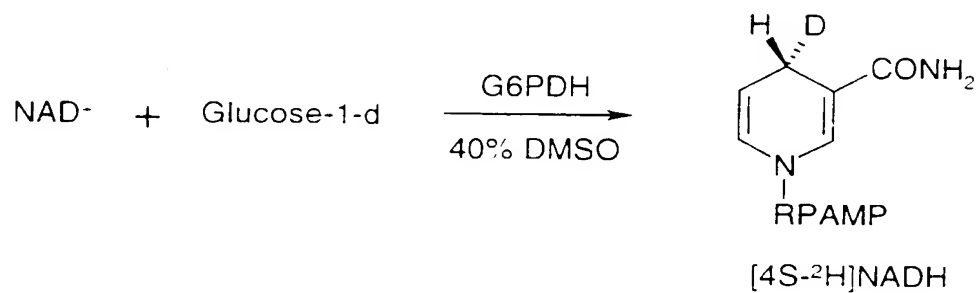
Figure 3. Predicted (Observed) Product Structures and (M+H)$^+$'s

(Based on *E. coli* Fab I)

Reaction

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Figure 4. Mass Spectra of Components from Reaction 3

Figure 4 B

Figure 4 C

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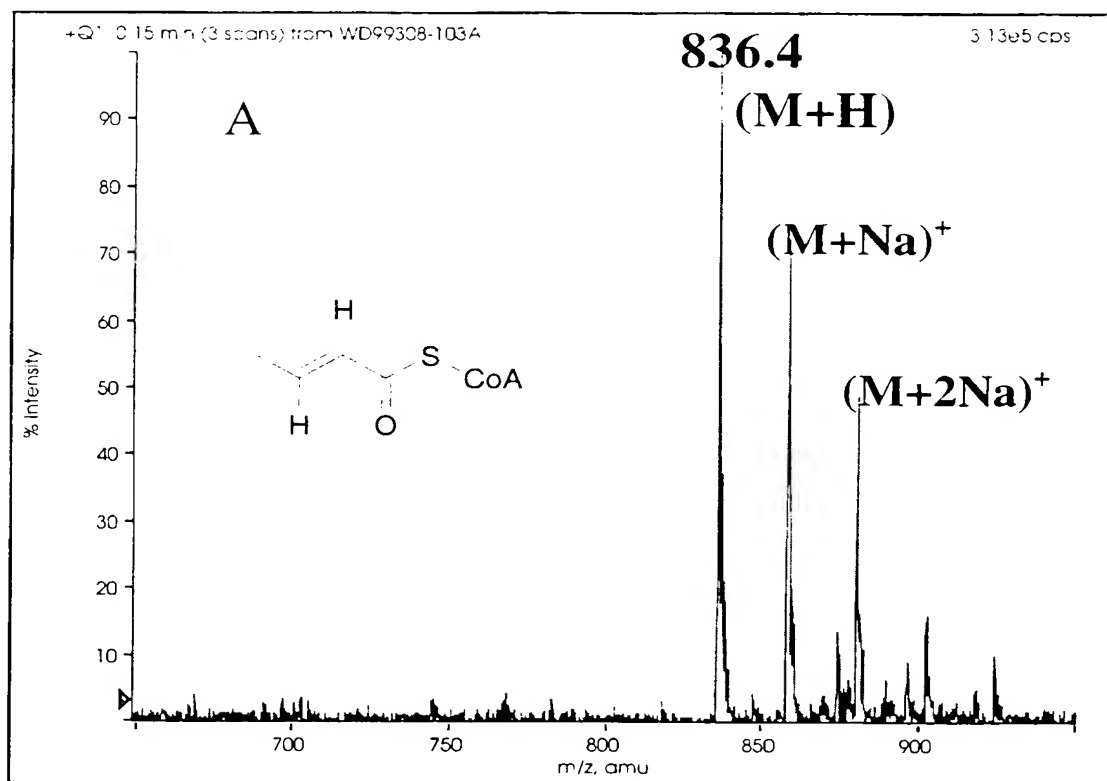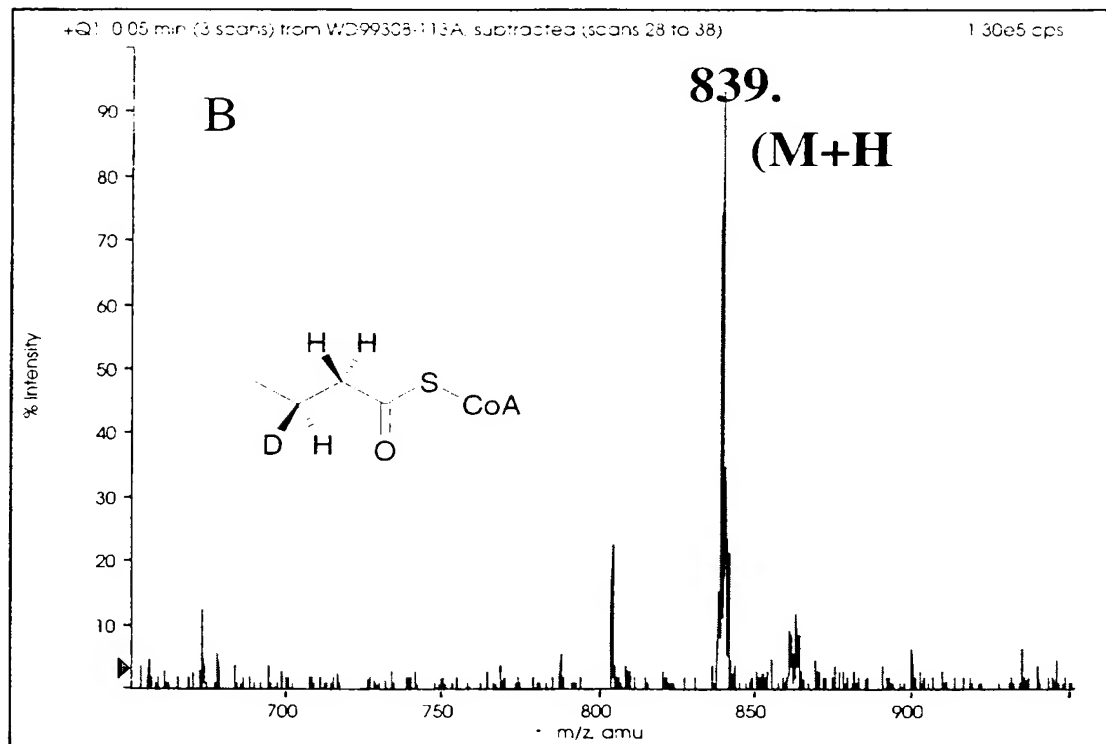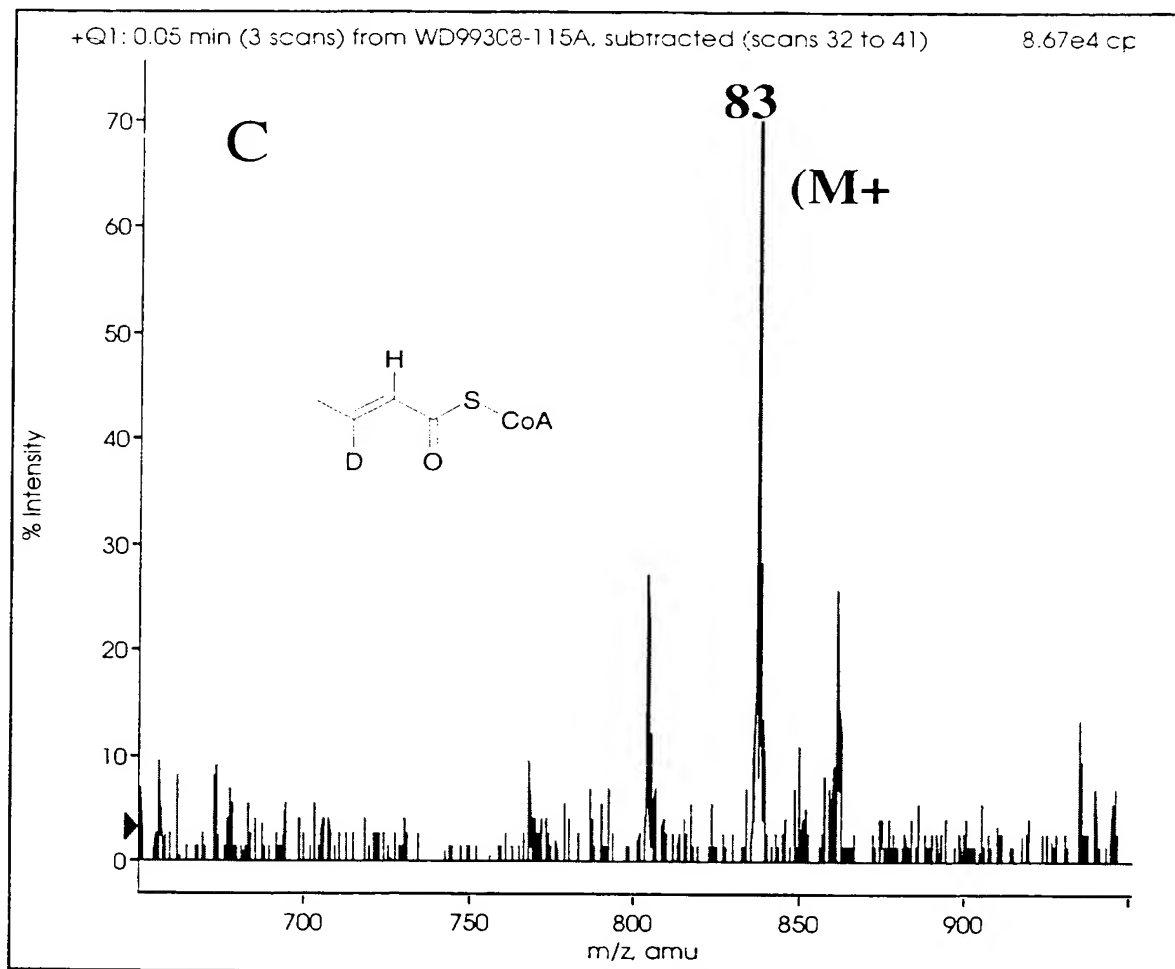
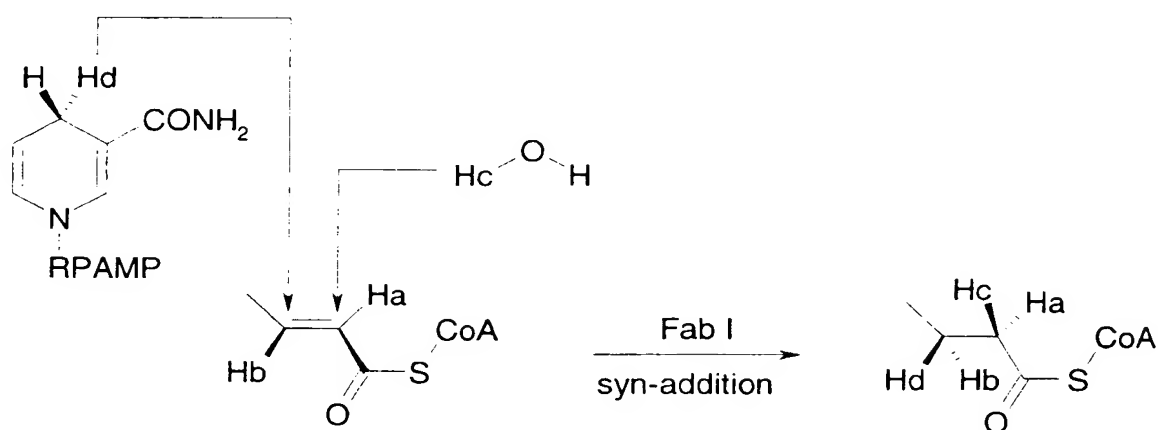Figure 5. Stereochemical Course of *S. aureus* Fab I

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Figure 6. *S. aureus* Fab I Uses Both NADPH and NADH as Substrates

NADH as Substrate

NADPH as Substrate
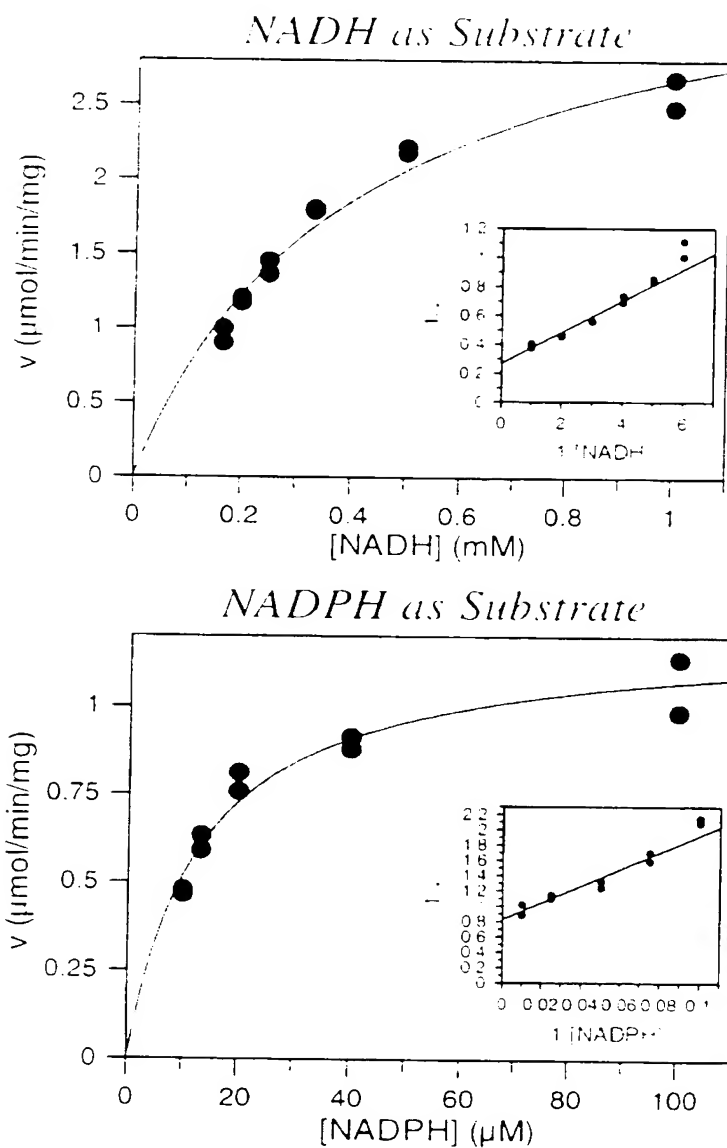
	NADH	NADPH
Vm(app) (μmol/min/mg)	3.75±0.23	1.21±0.06
Km(app) (mM)	0.41±0.06	0.013±0.002
Km(app) CCA (mM)	3.5±0.2	1.4±0.4

Figure 7. *S. aureus* Fab I Exhibits a Sequential Mechanism
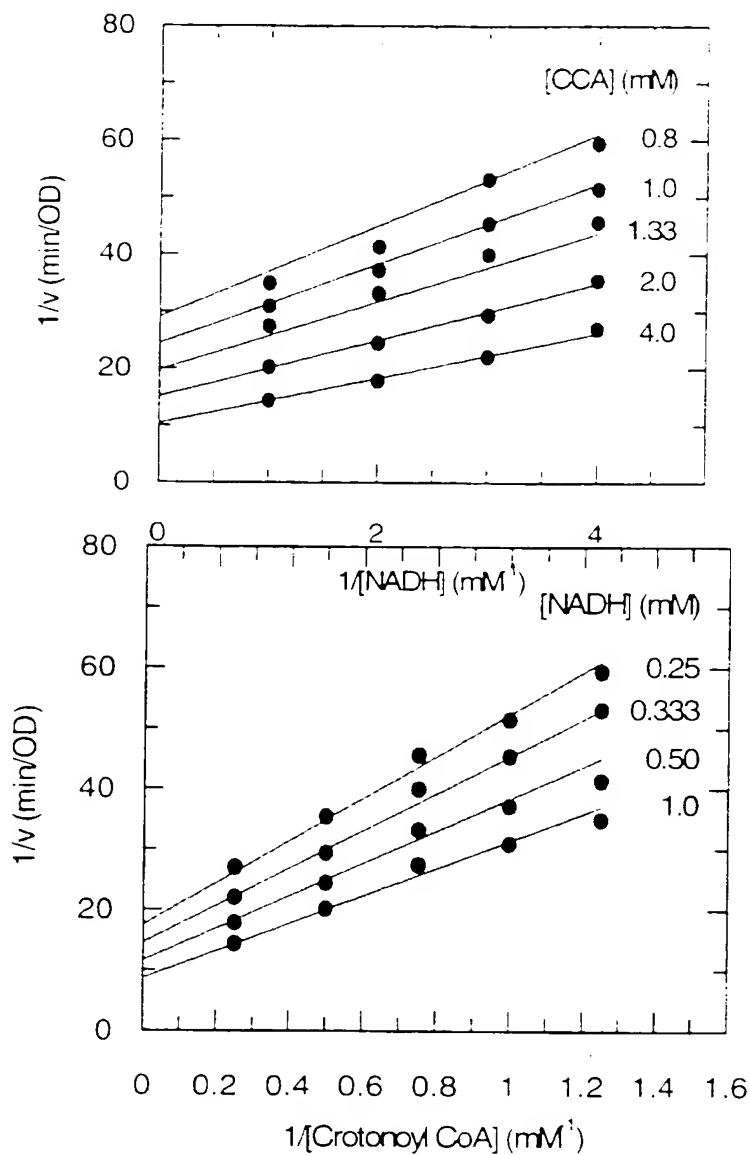
$$V_m = 0.18 \pm 0.02$$
$$K_a = 0.52 \pm 0.12 \text{ mM}$$
$$K_b = 3.3 \pm 0.6 \text{ mM}$$
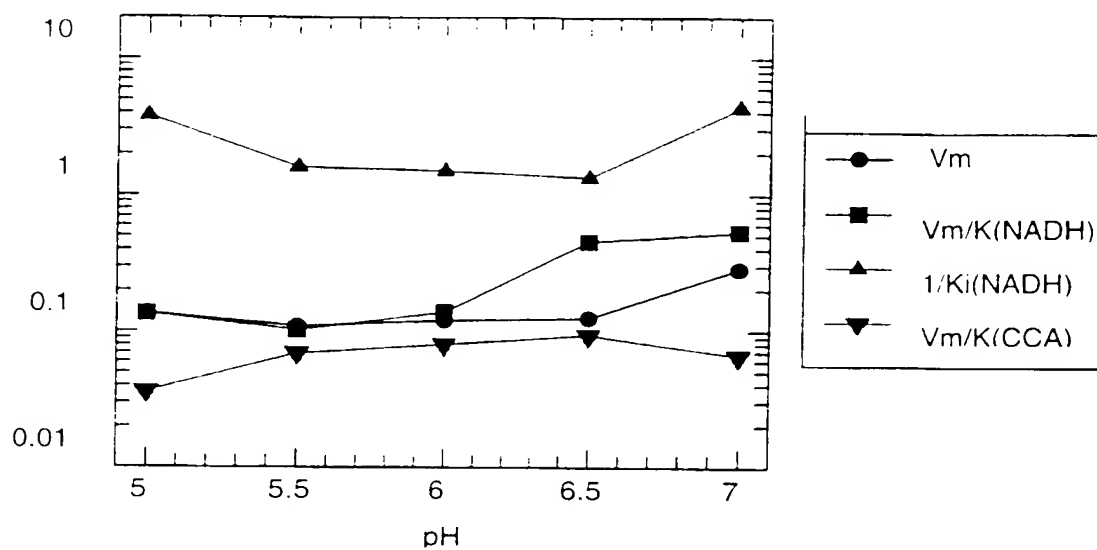$$K_{ia} = 0.22 \pm 0.06 \text{ mM}$$

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Figure 8. pH Profile of *S. aureus* Fab I

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Figure 8 A Table 1. Inhibition by Saturated Fatty Acyl CoA's

CoA Derivative	Mean IC_{50} (μM) $(n=2)$
Acetyl	>>1000
n-Butyryl	>>1000
n-Hexanoyl	576
n-Octanoyl	248
n-Decanoyl	226
Lauroyl	48.4
Myristoyl	23.1
Palmitoyl	10.7

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Figure 9. Inhibition by Palmitoyl CoA

Double Reciprocal Plot

Slope Replot

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Figure 10. Inhibition by β-NADP₊

$$Ki = 0.58 \pm 0.03 \text{ mM}$$

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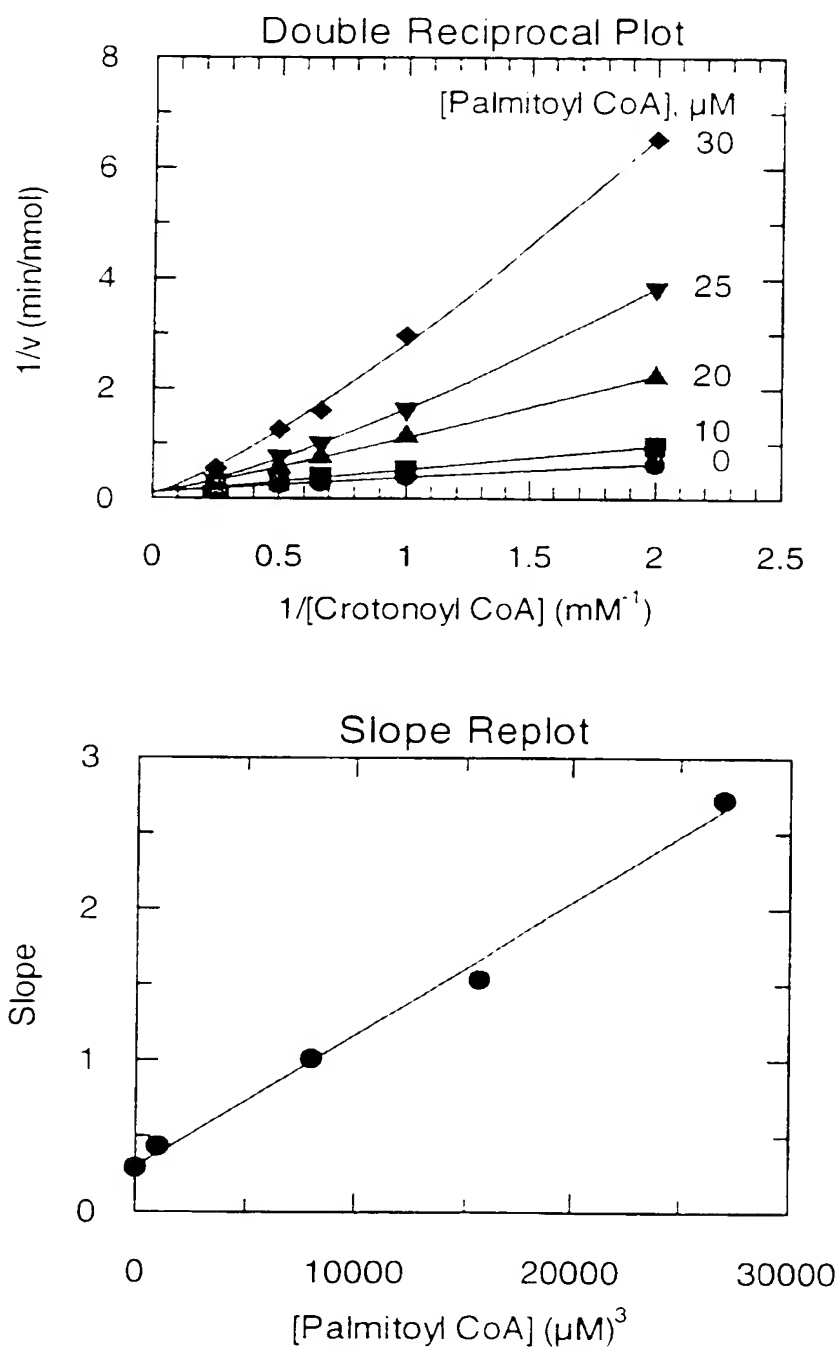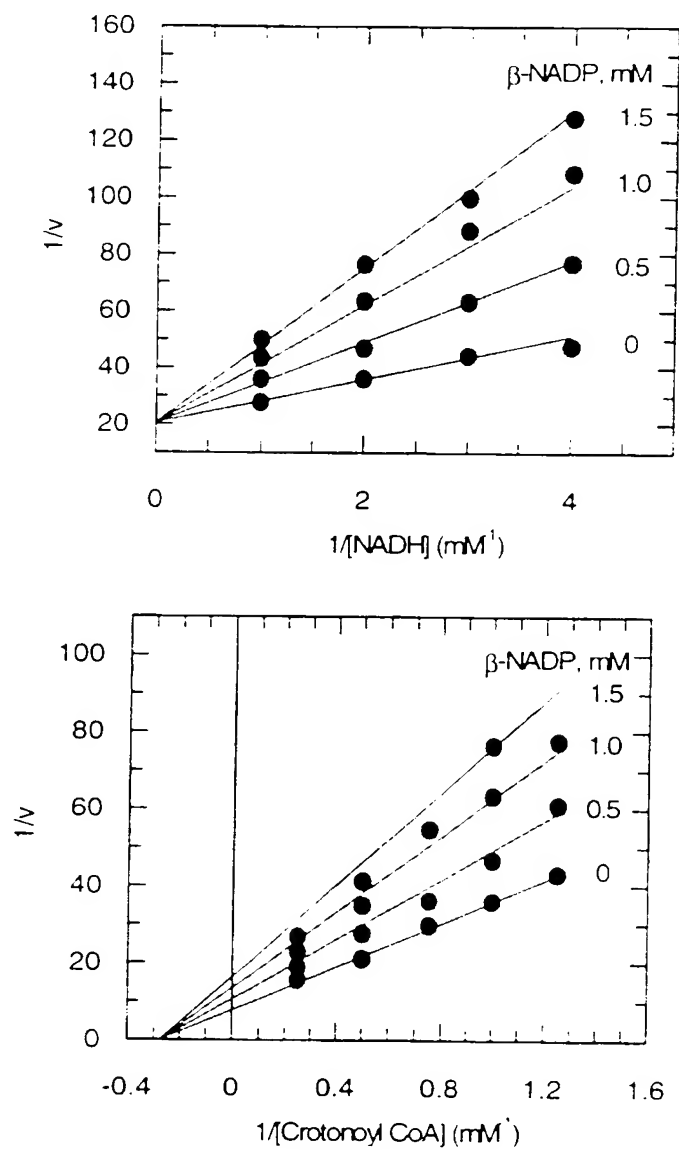
Figure 11. Kinetic Model for Inhibition by β-NAPD+

$$E \underset{Kia}{\overset{A}{\rightleftarrows}} EA \overset{B}{\rightleftarrows} EAB \longrightarrow EPQ$$

$$I \quad \big\updownarrow Ki$$

$$EI$$
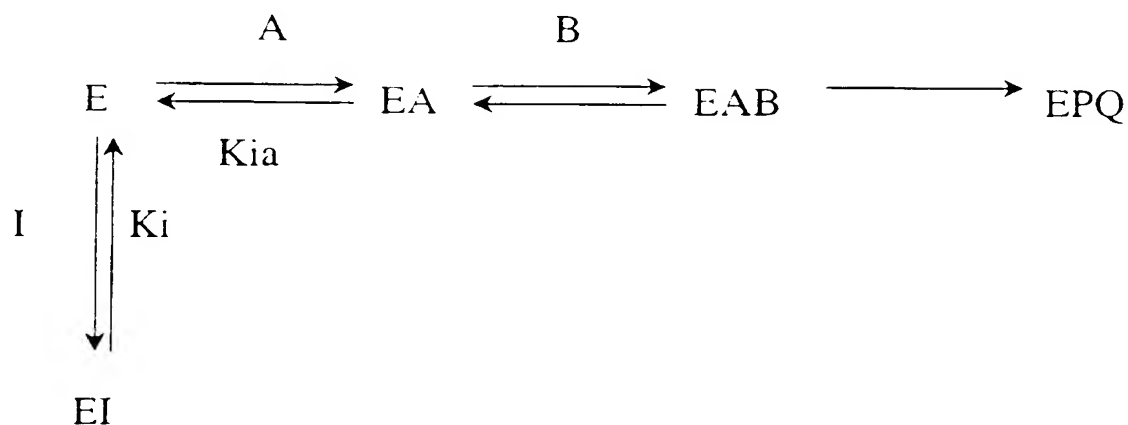
$$v = \frac{V_m[A][B]}{(K_{ia}K_b + K_a[B])\left(1 + \dfrac{[I]}{K_i}\right) + K_b[A] + [A][B]}$$

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Figure 12. Inhibition by apo-ACP vs. NADH

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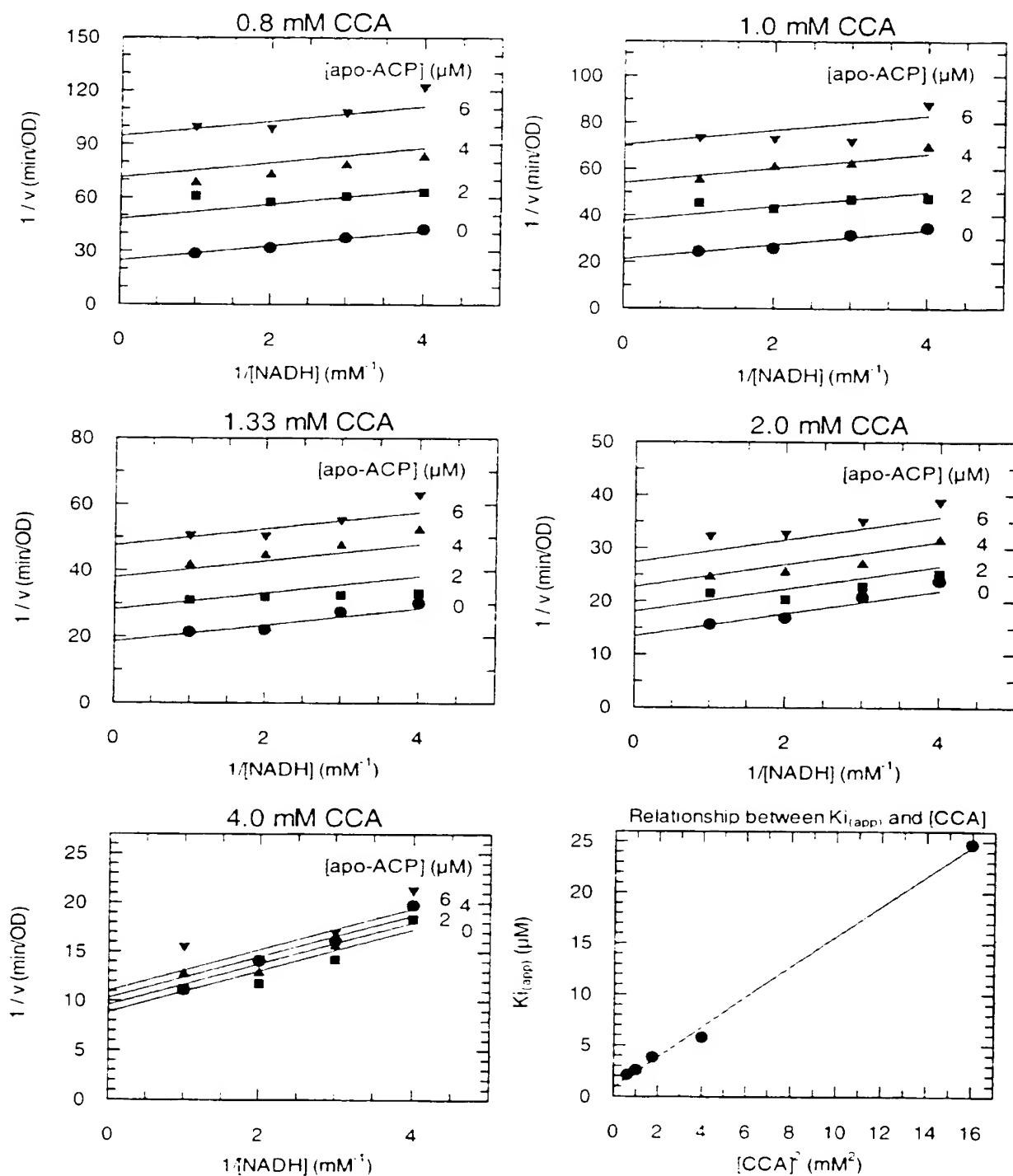
Figure 13. Inhibition by apo-ACP vs. CCA
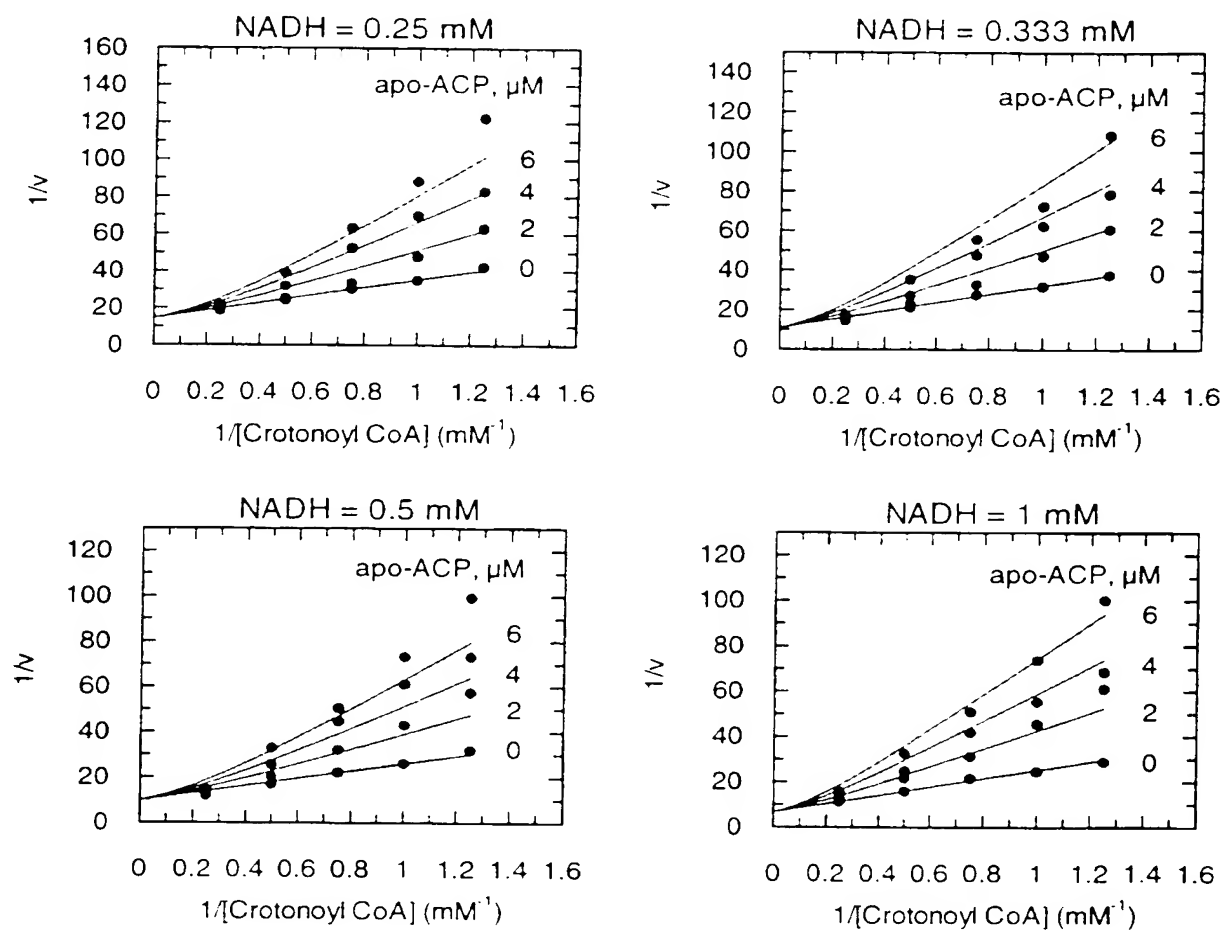
Figure 14. Minimal Kinetic Mechanism for Inhibition by apo-ACP

$$E \xrightleftharpoons[Kia]{} EA \xrightleftharpoons{} EAB \longrightarrow EPQ$$

$$I \; \left\downarrow Ki$$

$$EAI$$
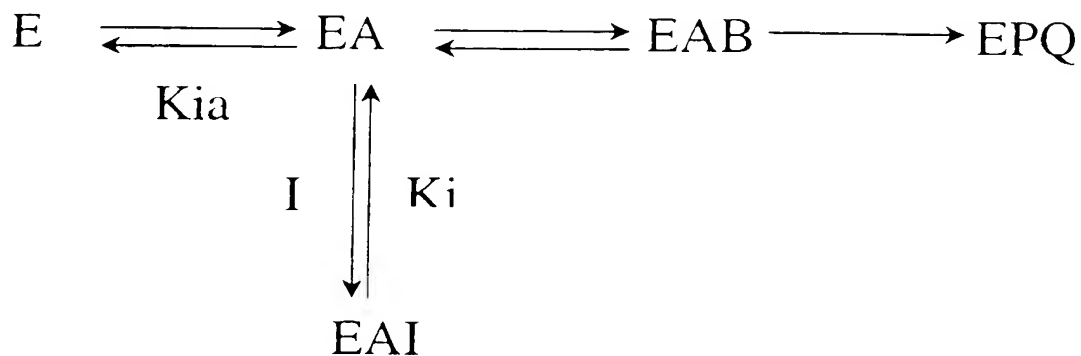
$$v = \frac{V_m[A][B]}{K_{ia}K_b + K_b[A]\left(1+\frac{[I]}{K_i}\right) + K_a[B] + [A][B]}$$

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Figure 15. Induced Cooperative Inhibition by apo-ACP

- Apo-ACP is uncompetitive versus NADH (Ki(app) and is proportional to the square of [CCA]).

- Apo-ACP is competitve versus crotonoyl CoA and induces negative cooperativivty with respect to Cca binding.

$$v = \frac{V_m\left[\dfrac{[S]}{K_S} + \dfrac{[S]^2}{K_S^2} + \dfrac{[S][I]}{\alpha K_S K_I}\right]}{\left[1 + \dfrac{2[S]}{K_S} + \dfrac{[S]^2}{K_S^2} + \dfrac{2[I]}{K_I} + \dfrac{[I]^2}{K_I^2} + \dfrac{2[S][I]}{\alpha K_S K_I}\right]}$$

$$Ki = 3\ \mu M$$
$$\alpha = 15$$

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FIGURE 16

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FIGURE 17

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